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CLARKSBURG, WEST VIRGINIA --THE FUEL CITY OF THE FUEL STATE--SATURDAY NOVEMBER 26, 1904.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT CHEERED BY GREAT THROGS AT THE WORLD'S FAIR

CARRIAGES CONVEY PRESIDENTIAL PARTY FROM TRAIN TO EXPOSITION GROUNDS SURROUNDED BY SOLDIERS AND GUARDS.

THROGS CHEERED LUSTILY AS HE PASSED AND TREMENDOUS OVATION WAS TENDERED HIM.

Party Goes Through Different Exposition Buildings Which Are Closed to the Public While They Pass Through—Toast Proposed to President Loubet of France.

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—President Roosevelt and party breakfasted in their private car which was surrounded by a great crowd of World's Fair visitors who were able to see the President, although kept at a distance by the members of the Sixteenth Infantry posted as guards.

President Francis and Mayor Wells called after breakfast when carriages were taken to the Liberal Arts building. Two battalions of the Eighth U. S. Cavalry and a platoon of mounted police preceded the carriages.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt rode in the first carriage with President Francis, of the World's Fair. There were twenty or more carriages. A platoon of mounted police protected the rear from a great crowd anxious to keep pace with the party. Throgs greeted the President on the way and he raised his hat and bowed as the cheers were given him.

Buildings Closed to Public.

By Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—In order to permit the President and his party to make a hasty view of different buildings, they were closed to the public while the president's party passed through. He made a hasty look at the Liberal Arts building, then drove to the Government building. He then reviewed the military, consisting of troops from the Sixteenth Infantry, Ninth Cavalry, Eighth Cavalry and Philippine scouts and constabulary.

After the review the Presidential party took their carriages for the German building and again the procession passed through cheering crowds. After exchanging courtesies the inspection trip was resumed.

The party was then driven where fine view of the grounds was had.

Then they went to the French pavilion gardens where the President proposed a toast to President Loubet. Afterward they visited the pavilions of Mexico, Great Britain and Holland. Here, seeing a two-year-old child in the arms of its mother the President patted the baby on the cheek and calling to Mrs. Roosevelt, said: "O, Edith, come here; I want you to see a genuine little Dutch girl." Mrs. Roosevelt took the child in her arms for a moment.

Other national pavilions were visited rapidly.

SAW CITY AND WAS PLEASED

Mr. C. W. Bassett, General Passenger Agent of the Baltimore & Ohio R.R. Makes Trip Through the City.

C. W. Bassett, the general passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, was a distinguished visitor in the city all day Friday. He came here in the morning on train No. 3 from the east, and left for Parkersburg yesterday evening on No. 47. Although Mr. Bassett has stopped many times in Clarksburg this was the first time he had taken the opportunity of viewing the city. He came down into the heart of the city and also took a street car ride over the local street car system and saw the city and suburbs. He was rather taken with the size and evident progression of Clarksburg. Returning this evening from Parkersburg Mr. Bassett goes on to Baltimore. Mr. Bassett was accompanied by Mr. C. W. Allen, traveling passenger agent.

Elks Will Hold Social Session.

The Clarksburg lodge of Elks will hold a social session after its regular meeting in the lodge rooms next Tuesday evening. A class of five candidates will be initiated at the regular lodge session and following that the social session will be held in their honor. The session will include a musical program, speeches, singing and a banquet.

Miss May Smith, of Weston, visited her father, Mr. Lou Smith, who is a patient at the Harrison County hospital, this week.

ENSIGN WILL BE DISCHARGED

His Term of Enlistment Soon Expires and He Will Quit Army—Has Been in China, Japan and Other Parts of the World.

John P. Ensign, in charge of the local recruiting station, will shortly be discharged from the service of the United States Army. His term of enlistment will expire in December. During his service he has been in China, Japan, the Philippines and in many other parts of the world.

Westley C. Westfall, of Buckhannon, and Carl S. Thompson, of this city, who enlisted in the coast artillery have been sent to Fort Slocum, New York.

WENT TO BELLAIRE

Did Mary Jackson, Alias Ross, Before Her Trial Came Up—She Telephoned Back to One of Her Friends.

Mary Jackson, alias Ross, who was arrested and jailed a couple of days ago on a peace warrant sworn out by her former husband, William Ross, who alleged that she threatened to kill him, was released from jail at the instance of Constable W. Guy Merritt, who said he would stand good for her reappearance. When the time came for her trial in Magistrate Gordon's court Friday evening, Mary was nowhere to be found. Saturday morning she called up one of her friends over the long distance telephone from Bellaire, Ohio, and wanted to know if everything was quiet on the Potomac. Word was later sent her that officers were looking high and low for her and that she had better stay in Bellaire. The officers say that is a better place for her than in Clarksburg.

GOT MONEY AND ADOPTED NEW CREED

Union Theological Seminary, of New York, Discards Westminster Confession Faith and Adopts New Creed When Gifts of Money Are Received.

By Associated Press.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Nov. 26.—Rev. Dr. Schaff, professor of Church History at the Western Theological Seminary, of Allegheny City, today confirmed the report that the Union Theological Seminary, of New York, had discarded the Westminster confession faith, and had unanimously adopted a new creed. He said the action was taken last week when the board of directors received two gifts of \$125,000 each.

SPAIN ACCEPTS

In Principle the Suggestion For Another Peace Conference of the Powers At the Hague.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—The State department has announced that Spain has accepted in principle the suggestion for another peace conference at the Hague.

Thousands Go To See Game.

By Associated Press.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Nov. 26.—Twenty-five hundred persons, including eight hundred militiamen, went on four special trains to Philadelphia today to witness the Army and Navy foot ball game.

Taken to Hospital.

Hayden Carskadon, of the Bogges Undertaking Company, has been taken to the Kessler hospital. He has typhoid fever.

LEOPOLD'S HORSES

Are the Center of Attraction at the International Live Stock Show in Chicago.

By Associated Press.

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 26.—At the opening of the International Live Stock Show in the Union Stock Yards today, King Leopold's Belgian horses were the center of attraction. A student's judging contest in which nine colleges were represented was the feature today.

ALVIN BASSEL SHOT

REVOLVER IN HIS HIP POCKET IS ACCIDENTALLY DISCHARGED WHILE HE IS ROLLING TEN PINS

AND BALL ENTERED HIS BACK BELW LEFT SHOULDER BLADE BUT WOUND IS NOT SERIOUS.

Accident Occurred in a Bowling Alley at Western Friday Night—Alvin Was Reaching For a Ball When Pistol Went Off.

Alvin D. Bassell, of this city, the well known cattle dealer, was accidentally shot at Western Friday night.

While playing ten pins in a bowling alley there he reached for a ball and accidentally struck his revolver which he carried in his hip pocket wrapped in a handkerchief, handle down.

The ball entered the body under the right shoulder blade making a very painful though not serious wound. Medical attention was given him and he will recover in due course of time.

Word received from Western Saturday afternoon stated that the patient was resting very comfortably and would be able to come to his home in this city in a short time.

Red Wing Gets Third Prize.

By Associated Press.

CLAY CITY, Ind., Nov. 26.—In the derby of field trials today the third prize was awarded to Red Wing, owned by P. P. McCormick, of Charleston, W. Va. First and second went to Kentucky and Tennessee dogs.

COMMISSION OF CITIZENS

To Look Into Matter of Drilling Deep Wells For Water Works System is Appointed by Mayor Shields.

At the last meeting of the city council Mayor Shields was empowered and instructed to appoint a commission of five citizens of the city to look into the advisability of having deep water wells drilled by the city for a water supply for the water works system. The Mayor took the matter under consideration and adjournment and Saturday made the appointments.

The commission stands as follows: Col. T. S. Spates, S. C. Denham, B. F. Robinson, W. B. Osborn, J. W. Williams.

OLD FIRM GOES TO THE WALL

Firm of Jacob Berry & Company, of New York City, Makes Assignment To A. P. Fitch.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The firm of Jacob Berry & Company, members of the Consolidated Stock Exchange, today assigned to A. P. Fitch. Their liabilities are \$200,000, and nominal assets from \$150,000 to \$200,000. The firm was established in 1885.

Marriage Licenses Issued.

Wedding permits have been granted at the county clerk's office to the following persons:

Ralph J. Britten and Martha Columbia Sommerville.
Nicolous Zupic and Catherine Antolice.
Oscar McDonald and Annie Lawrence.

VALENTINE

Demand Immediate Hearing in Cincinnati Police Court But Prosecution Was Not Ready.

By Associated Press.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 25.—Joseph F. Valentine, president of the Iron Molders' Union of North America, in police court today, demanded an immediate and separate hearing of the charge of aiding and abetting the malicious destruction of property. The prosecution was not ready and the case was set for Monday next.

G. J. Cribbs, of Baltimore, is a business visitor in the city.

LET WELL ENOUGH ALONE

American People Have Declared They Do Not Want Any Change, Says Senator Scott, and Tariff Revision Would Be Very Risky.

"The people who are agitating this question of an extra session of Congress on the ground that the tariff ought to be revised are taking a wrong position, and if their views should be carried out the country would suffer untold harm," remarked Senator N. B. Scott, of West Virginia, at the New Willard hotel in Washington yesterday to a Washington Post reporter.

"On every document sent out by me in the late campaign was stamped in red ink the motto, 'Let well enough alone.' This sentiment was indorsed by the American people on the 8th of this month in the most emphatic and extraordinary manner. The meaning of the election was plainly to the effect that the nation did not desire a change. The times are too good to risk giving control to any other party than the one in power. The voters so declared, and hence it is unaccountable that we find men advocating a policy which was but lately overwhelmingly repudiated. An extra session of Congress is not to be commended on any grounds: it will cause uneasiness and apprehension in business circles, and its effect will be to scare off investments and cause capitalists to defer the establishment of new enterprises to the detriment of every wage earner in the land."

COLORED WOMAN

Is Arrested and Fined by Magistrate Gordon For Assaulting John McCloud—She Didn't Like Jail Quarters.

Engene Newcomb, colored, who assists Constable W. Guy Merritt in his multifarious labors, was deputized Friday evening by Magistrate Samuel W. Gordon to arrest one Susa Harris, also colored. Engene executed the order of the court in a very gentle manner and Susa was taken before the magistrate for a hearing on the charge of assaulting John McCloud. She confessed to the charge and was fined five dollars and costs according to the statutes. In default the court sent her to jail where she lingered over night. She wasn't satisfied with her quarters, however, so she sent for friends and arranged for the payment of her fine and the costs. She was released from custody after payment.

TWO ARE HELD

For Grand Jury At Cincinnati To Answer Charge of Complicity in Murder of Non-Union Molder.

By Associated Press.
CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 26.—Thomas Bracken was held to answer to the next Grand Jury, without bail, on the charge of complicity in the murder of Samuel Weakley, a non-union molder. Edward Trainer, held for the same offense, was bound over in the sum of five thousand dollars.

Police Court.

At the regular session of police court Saturday morning, Mayor Shields had three plain drunks before him for trial. All three confessed to the charge. One was fined five dollars and costs and the other two three dollars and costs. One of the three-dollar fellows paid his way out and the others had to go to jail.

Conducts Auction Sale.

Auctioneer Samuel W. Gordon conducted another public auction sale in front of the court house Saturday afternoon, disposing of a large amount of household goods and other utensils.

Capt. Anna Klein in Charge.
Captain Anna Klein, of Washington, Pa., is the new officer in charge of the local Salvation Army corps, succeeding Captain and Mrs. Will J. Pond. Capt. Klein is assisted by Lieutenant Stakert who came with her from Washington, Pa. Captain Niblock, who has been connected with the local corps for the past several months will remain here for the present.

For Rent—Four rooms, with front hall, pantry, china closet, use of bath room, hot and cold water. Price \$12.00 per month. Inquire at 440 South Chestnut street.
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REPORTED MARRIED IN ATHENS

ARE MR. MARK KOBLEGARD, OF THIS CITY, AND MRS. CLARENCE B. CUTLIP, OF NEW YORK.

AND HAVE COME TO ST. LOUIS WHERE THEY ARE SPENDING THEIR HONEYMOON SEEING THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Mr. Koblegard Cannot Be Communicated With and Report is Not Confirmed—If So, He Greatly Though Happily Surprises His Friends.

It is reported that Mr. Mark Koblegard, of this city, and Mrs. Clarence B. Cutlip, of New York, were married in Athens, Ohio, Thursday night, and are now in St. Louis spending their honeymoon at the World's Fair.

The report has not been confirmed and as Mr. Koblegard cannot be communicated with his many friends here cannot accept the report as a certainty. If the report is true, however, these friends will have hearty congratulations in store for Mr. Koblegard and his bride when they arrive in Clarksburg.

Mrs. Cutlip is an artist and has been occupied as a painting teacher, chiefly in painting china, glass, etc. She has been in Clarksburg and taught a class in painting china at C. P. Stott's china and queensware store. Mr. Koblegard is engaged in the insurance business in the city and was formerly connected with the Koblegard wholesale dry goods house.

Bright Goes To Columbus.

Lawrence O. Bright, who has been connected with the West Virginia Mine Supply Company in Glen Elk for the past two years, has resigned his position here and will go to his former home in Columbus, Ohio. He has two nice positions offered him, one in Chicago and one in Columbus, and he is undecided as to which one he will accept. He will take a short vacation, however, before going to work. Mr. Bright leaves Sunday night and his many friends in this city are pained to lose him from their midst.

GOSPEL SERVICES

At the First Presbyterian Church Will Be Continued All Next Week—Rev. Pollock, of Buckhannon, Will Preach.

The meetings that have been conducted the past week in the First Presbyterian church, will be continued at 7:45 o'clock each evening of next week. Rev. George W. Pollock, of Buckhannon, will preach. He is a preacher of deep spiritual power and his sermons promise to be most helpful. It is expected that all the members of the church will attend these meetings and strangers will find a cordial welcome. Dr. Ely, who has preached such excellent sermons this week, will preach at both services tomorrow.

WINTER SCHEDULE

Of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Goes Into Effect Sunday—Local Time Tables Will Remain Practically the Same.

The winter schedule of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad company goes into effect Sunday. The local time tables will remain practically the same there being only one or two changes. East bound express No. 2, heretofore due at Clarksburg at 2:54 a. m., will arrive at 3:32 under the new schedule. The time of all of the other trains remain the same with the exception of No. 8 over the West Virginia & Pittsburgh division, which will leave at 6:40 a. m. in the future instead of 6:40 a. m. This train runs only on Sundays.

The Grain Market.

By Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 26.—Wheat, 108 1/2; corn, 40 1/2; oats, 29 1/2. Dec.

For Rent—Two rooms, for men only 645 W. Main street.
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SUCCESSFUL INSTITUTE

Was That Held By the Teachers of Clay and Eagle Districts At Shinnston Friday.

One of the most successful district institutes ever held in this county was held at Shinnston Friday by the teachers of Clay and Eagle districts. About thirty-five teachers were present and many interesting topics were discussed. The questions which provoked most discussion were "Can a teacher teach morality without being moral himself," and "What school legislation do we most need in West Virginia, and how can it best be secured?"

Dr. J. M. Callahan, of the university, was present and delivered a lecture on "The problems of the Far East," to a large audience at the First M. E. church. Those in attendance from Clarksburg were L. Wayman Ogden, E. C. Board and Frank White.

PROFESSOR DEMOTT

Delivers His Lecture "Python Eggs and The American Boy" At Opera House Tonight Under Auspices of The Y. M. C. A.

Prof. John DeMotte, the eminent lecturer, will appear at the Traders Grand open house tonight under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. as the second number of the star course of attractions to be given during the winter, and deliver his lecture "Python Eggs and The American Boy."

"I have followed Prof. DeMotte in a great many lecture courses, and without exception his audiences have been cordial and enthusiastic in their praises of the man, his charming personality and his splendid work," says Robert J. Burdette.

"Prof. John DeMotte delivered the most instructive lecture of the year from Gray Chapel platform last evening. His subject was 'Python Eggs and The American Boy'; his theme, 'Habit,' the biggest word in the English language. Excellent stereoscopic slides illustrated the lecture. The lecturer held every auditor's close attention, as his unfolded the latest teachings of biology with regard to the formation of character."—Delaware (O.) Gazette.

To See Army and Navy Game.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 26.—Secretary Morton and party and Acting Secretary of War Oliver and party left for Philadelphia to attend the army and navy foot ball game today.

FAILURE

Of I. H. Berger & Company, of New York, Has Been Announced On Consolidated Stock Exchange.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—The failure of I. H. Berger & Company has been announced on the Consolidated Stock Exchange. The firm hopes to resume next week.

"OLD SI STEBBINS"

A New England Pastoral Play, Comes To the Grand Next Thursday Evening.

All rural plays seem to be popular with our theatregoers, and "Old Si Stebbins," which will be seen at the Traders Grand open house Dec. 1, will no doubt meet with their approval. The play deals with life in a New England state (in the country) and the quaint characters in the cast are true to life. While the express purpose of the comedy is to create laughter, still it has a content plot that is well carried out and contains many incidents and situations that are funny in the extreme. Dan Darleign as Si Stebbins is excellent, his impersonations bring free from vulgarity and objectionable features, and refined in every detail. The supporting company is large and competent and the performance is greatly enhanced by the specialities given by Dan Darleign, Henri LaVarlo, Louise DeWitt, Hazel Darleign, James Greer and Pauline Soules. The superb band and orchestra are also entitled to notice for their excellent work.

ELLIS IS NOT BLAMED

DEPARTMENT OF STATE HAS ANNOUNCED OFFICIALLY THAT NO BLAME IS ATTACHED TO HIM.

IN CONNECTION WITH THE TRAGIC DEATH OF F. KENT LOOMIS FROM KAISER WILHELM II.

When Both Were En Route to Abyssinia With Treaty For King Menelik—Fully and Cheerfully Answers Searching Questions But to Him By Officials.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—The State Department has announced officially that no blame was attached to William H. Ellis, of New York, in connection with the tragic death of F. Kent Loomis, of Parkersburg, W. Va., brother of Assistant Secretary of State Francis B. Loomis. F. Kent Loomis was Ellis' travelling companion on the steamship Kaiser Wilhelm II, and disappeared off Plymouth, England, last June.

Prior to the issuance of the official statement Ellis made thinly veiled threats that he would disclose something sensational unless he was exonerated. He was in a highly excited frame of mind. When he learned that the statement had been given out he took a train for New York without making any disclosures.

Before the State Department was closed for the day the official statement mentioned was given out from the Assistant Secretary's office. It follows:

"Mr. Ellis reported at the Department of state and deposited the receipt which he received from King Menelik upon the delivery to him of the signed copy of the commercial treaty with Abyssinia. Mr. Ellis has fully and cheerfully answered the searching questions put to him by officials, who made careful inquiry into all the circumstances connected with his trip to Africa. It was stated at the Department that Mr. Ellis' explanations were of a satisfactory nature and that no blame is now attached to him in connection with the tragic episode which occurred on his trip from New York to France in June last."

This statement was shown to Mr. Ellis. At first he was disposed to criticize it, but later he expressed himself as satisfied with it.

"Mr. Loomis might have said more," as declared. "However, I guess it will be sufficient for the present. He ought to have made it clear that I am not in any way concerned in the mystery surrounding his brother's disappearance, but as this statement comes from the State Department, which has never taken official cognizance of the circumstances, I suppose it is as much as could be expected."

"While will the papers be when I produce a statement showing that I had possession of that Abyssinian treaty when I left New York? It is hinted that I made away with Kent Loomis in order to get possession of the treaty. Now I will ask the papers to prove that F. Kent Loomis had the treaty. They can't do it, because I had it myself when I left New York, and I kept it in my possession until I delivered it to Emperor Menelik."

"Emperor Menelik has granted me a concession of 3,000,000 acres for cotton growing. It was not 20,000 acres, as some papers said. He also granted a concession in my name but which applies to all Americans, as soon as a legation is established, opening up the mining industry of the country. I also arranged a partnership with the Emperor in three gold and two diamond mines, which I am to equip with American machinery. The Emperor is operating the gold mines now; and gets the gold from them, which he is now coining in his new mint. The cotton lands I shall develop with native labor, taking over only about forty skilled people from this country. I am going back to Abyssinia in February."

Ellis also said that he would begin suits for libel, criminal libel and defamation of character, against a Brooklyn newspaper which had printed articles reflecting on him at the time of F. Kent Loomis' disappearance. He would claim \$500,000 damages. He said "The papers said I was a damned nigger," remarked Ellis. "I do claim to have some African blood in my veins, but I am a mixed Cuban and Mexican blood."